

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE SECOND CIRCUIT

ANNOUNCEMENT

The Second Circuit Court of Appeals invites application from highly-qualified candidates for a Federal Public Defender for the District of Vermont. The person selected will maintain an office in Burlington, VT. Travel is required. The term of office is 4 years. The current salary is \$140,300 per annum.

The selection process will be confidential and competitive. Applicants will be considered without regard to race, color, age, gender, religion, ethnicity, national origin or disability.

To be qualified for appointment an applicant must:

1. Be admitted to practice before the highest court of at least one state, the District of Columbia, or the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico;
2. Possess a membership in good standing in every bar in which membership is held; and
3. Have at least five years criminal practice - significant federal criminal trial practice preferred;

Additional qualifications required: (1) reputation for integrity; (2) familiarity with federal sentencing guidelines; (3) ability and commitment to provide zealous and high quality representation; (4) ability to effectively administer professional office.

Application forms may be obtained from the Court's website at www.ca2.uscourts.gov, or by calling, writing or faxing a request to:

Office of the Circuit Executive
Thurgood Marshall U. S. Courthouse
40 Foley Square, Room 2904
New York, New York 10007
Phone (212) 857-8700
Fax (212) 857-8680

Clerk of Court, District of Vermont
506 Federal Building & Courthouse
P.O. Box 945
Burlington, Vermont 05402-0945
Phone (802) 951-6301
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**Application packages will be distributed commencing on Monday, February 7, 2005.
Completed applications must be received no later than 5:00 p.m. EST on March 11, 2005.**